

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **10/587902**

In re application of :
Takashi SATO et al. : **Mail Stop: PCT**
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HOLLOW CONTAINER AND
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: